IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Takahiko KONDO et al.) Group Art Unit: 1794
Application No.: 10/550,005) Examiner: Victor S. Chang
Filed: September 23, 2005) Confirmation No.: 5730
For: MICROPOROUS POLYETHYLENE FILM	Ś
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Sir:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

DO NOT ENTER: /V.C./

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed March 9, 2009, the period for response having been extended to July 9, 2009, by request for a one-month Petition for Extension of Time, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper, which begin on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendments to the claims.